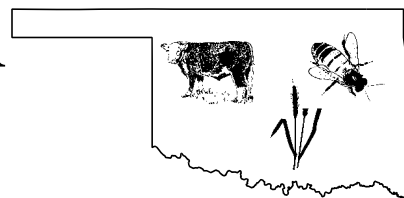


OKLAHOMA FARM STATISTICS



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CONTAINS RESULTS FROM FOLLOWING SURVEYS :

*****Dec Ag Survey Cattle on Feed Late A&P Survey Bee & Honey Livestock Slaughter*****

NUMBER OF FARMS UP 1,000 FROM 2001

OKLAHOMA: The number of farms in Oklahoma in 2002 totaled 87,000, up 1,000 from 2001, according to the Oklahoma Agricultural Statistics Service. The number of farms in the economic class between \$1,000-\$9,999 dollars of sales were up 1,000. The number of farms with sales in the \$10,000 to \$99,999 class were unchanged from 2001 and farms with \$100,000 or more in sales were unchanged from last year. There were 34 million acres of land in farms in 2002, unchanged from a year ago.

UNITED STATES: The number of farms and ranches in the United States in 2002 is estimated at 2.158 million, up slightly from 2001. Total land in farms, at 941.5 million acres, increased slightly from a year earlier. The number of farms and ranches in the economic sales class between \$1,000 and \$9,999 was up one percent to 1,172,770 in 2002. Those with sales in the \$10,000-\$99,999 class decreased 0.9 percent from 2001 to 637,160 in 2002. The \$100,000 and over sales class decreased 1.1 percent to 348,160 farms in 2002.



NUMBER OF FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, & AVERAGE FARM SIZE BY SALES CLASS, OKLAHOMA & US, 2001-2002 1/

	Economic Sales Class						Total	
	\$1,000-\$9,999		\$10,000-\$99,999		\$100,000 & over			
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002

OKLAHOMA

Number of Farms	54,000	55,000	26,000	26,000	6,000	6,000	86,000	87,000
Land in Farms (000 ac)	6,600	6,600	13,700	13,400	13,700	14,000	34,000	34,000
Average Farm Size	122	120	527	515	2,283	2,333	395	391

UNITED STATES

Number of Farms	1,160,990	1,172,770	642,710	637,160	351,980	348,160	2,155,680	2,158,090
Land in Farms (000 ac)	124,945	124,735	275,880	274,100	540,485	542,645	941,310	941,480
Average Farm Size	108	106	429	430	1,536	1,559	437	436

1/ A farm is any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year.

OKLAHOMA CATTLE ON FEED INVENTORY DOWN 7 PERCENT FROM LAST YEAR

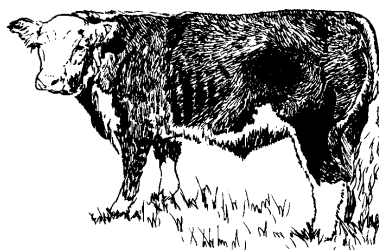
OKLAHOMA: The inventory of cattle on feed was 320 thousand head in Oklahoma on March 1, 2003 for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head, down 3 percent from the previous month and 7 percent below March 1, 2002. Placements during February were 46 thousand, down 16 percent from one year ago. Marketings of fed cattle during February were 55 thousand, down 7 percent from the same month last year. Other disappearance during February totaled 1 thousand head.

UNITED STATES: Cattle and calves on feed for slaughter market in the United States for feedlots with capacity of 1,000 or more head totaled 10.52 million head on March 1, 2003. Placements in feedlots during February totaled 1.66 million, 8 percent below 2002 but 5 percent above 2001. Net placements were 1.59 million. Marketings of fed cattle during February totaled 1.73 million. Other disappearance totaled 71,000 during February.

CATTLE ON FEED, PLACEMENTS, MARKETINGS AND OTHER DISAPPEARANCE, OKLAHOMA AND U.S. 2002-2003 1/

	Number on Feed 1,000+ Capacity			Placements			Marketings			Other Disappearance		
	2002	2003	% Prev Year	2002	2003	% Prev Year	2002	2003	% Prev Year	2002	2003	% Prev Year
	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent
OK												
Jan	360	330	92	67	*51	76	74	49	66	3	2	67
Feb	350	*330	94	55	46	84	59	55	93	1	1	100
Mar	345	320	93	80			64			1		
Apr	360			49			67			2		
May	340			75			73			2		
Jun	340			53			67			1		
Jul	325			60			74			1		
Aug	310			74			78			1		
Sep	305			83			57			1		
Oct	330			75			63			2		
Nov	340			55			53			2		
Dec	340			34			41			3		
U.S.												
Jan	11,565	10,593	92	2,179	*2,101	96	2,083	*1,959	94	89	75	84
Feb	11,572	*10,660	92	1,810	1,657	92	1,801	1,725	96	63	71	113
Mar	11,518	10,521	91	1,953			1,825			69		
Apr	11,577			1,453			1,996			83		
May	10,951			2,267			2,171			77		
Jun	10,970			1,644			2,076			51		
Jul	10,487			1,840			2,193			45		
Aug	10,089			2,218			2,135			43		
Sep	10,129			2,188			1,848			53		
Oct	10,416			2,389			1,979			84		
Nov	10,742			1,977			1,731			90		
Dec	10,898			*1,595			1,801			99		

1/ Number on feed as of the 1st of the month. * Revised



**HONEY: NUMBER OF COLONIES, PRODUCTION, STOCKS AND
VALUE, OKLAHOMA, 1999-2002 1/**

Year	Honey Producing Colonies	Yield per Colony	Production	Stocks on Dec 15 2/	Average Price Per Pound 3/	Value of Production
	1,000	Pounds	1,000 Lbs.		Cents	1,000 Dollars
1999	6	45	270	49	134	362
2000	7	35	245	64	126	309
2001	4	47	188	105	143	269
2002	3	53	159	51	160	254

1/ For producers with 5 or more colonies. 2/ Stocks held by producers. 3/ Prices weighted by sales.

JAGGER REMAINS TOP WHEAT VARIETY

Oklahoma's list of crop year 2003 wheat varieties was topped by Jagger for the sixth straight year. The survey was conducted by the Oklahoma Agricultural Statistics Service and was funded by the Oklahoma Wheat Commission in cooperation with the Department of Plant and Soil Sciences at Oklahoma State University. Results were based upon nearly 2,000 positive reports from Oklahoma wheat growers.

OKLAHOMA WHEAT VARIETIES: PERCENTAGE OF SEEDED ACRES, 1999-2003

Variety	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	Variety	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999
Percent						Percent					
<u>HARD WINTER</u>						<u>HARD WINTER con't</u>					
Jagger	46.1	44.6	37.3	38.1	29.5	Tonkawa	*	0.4	1.8	0.9	1.2
2174	13.5	12.5	11.3	5.2	0.8	Larned	*	0.2	*	*	*
2137	4.3	4.9	8.5	8.8	9.2	Betty	*	0.2	*	—	—
Custer	3.4	4.1	4.9	8.0	10.7	Ike	*	*	0.6	0.4	0.5
2158	1.7	1.1	2.0	2.5	3.5	Thunderbird	*	*	0.2	0.3	0.3
Longhorn	1.6	2.4	2.6	2.0	3.4	TAM 105	*	*	0.2	*	*
AGSECO 7853	1.5	0.8	1.7	2.9	3.5	T-81	*	*	0.2	—	—
Chisholm	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.2	Wichita	*	*	0.2	—	—
TAM 110	1.1	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.2	TAM 200	*	*	*	0.3	1.0
2163	1.0	1.0	2.3	1.8	2.7	TAM 202	*	*	*	*	0.2
Thunderbolt	0.9	0.2	—	—	—	Other Hard Red 1/	2.1	1.4	0.8	1.9	1.3
Lockett	0.8	1.0	0.5	*	—	Other Hard White 2/	0.3	*	*	—	—
Tomahawk	0.8	0.8	0.6	2.5	3.8	Unknown Hard	4.2	2.3	4.1	1.5	2.5
Ok101	0.7	*	—	—	—	Total Hard	91.1	93.3	93.6	92.7	94.6
2157	0.6	1.6	1.3	1.4	0.9						
TAM 107	0.6	0.7	0.5	1.6	2.7	<u>SOFT RED</u>					
Triumph 64	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.9	1.0	Coker 9134	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.5
TAM W-101	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.6	1.0	Cardinal	0.5	*	*	*	*
Karl 92	0.6	0.8	1.1	1.4	2.5	Mallard	0.2	—	—	—	—
2172	0.5	0.9	1.1	1.0	2.3	Coker 9663	*	*	0.5	—	—
Coronado	0.4	*	0.5	0.4	0.8	McNair	—	*	—	*	0.2
Ogallala	0.4	1.0	1.3	1.5	2.7	All Other Soft 3/	0.2	0.5	*	0.2	0.2
Big Dawg	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6	Unknown Soft	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.3
Scout 66	0.3	1.4	0.8	1.7	1.3	Total Soft	3.2	2.2	2.4	1.3	1.2
Onega	0.2	0.2	*	*	—						
2180	0.2	4.4	3.2	1.5	2.1	<u>Unknown</u>	5.7	4.5	4.0	6.0	4.2
Hickok	0.2	*	0.2	0.3	0.3						
Cimarron	0.2	0.6	0.9	0.9	0.9						

* Less than 0.2 percent. 1/ All other hard red varieties include Cutter, Dominator, Dumas, Early Triumph, Enhancer, HG9, Jagalene, Ok102, Pecos, and TAM 302. 2/ All other hard white varieties include Intrada, Trego, and Platte. 3/ All other soft varieties include Coker 9474, Madison, and Mason.

**RED MEAT PRODUCTION AND LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER
IN COMMERCIAL PLANTS, OKLAHOMA, 2002 1/**

RED MEAT PRODUCTION			SLAUGHTER							
			CATTLE		CALVES		HOGS		SHEEP	
Month	OKLA	U.S.	OKLA	U.S.	OKLA	U.S.	OKLA	U.S.	OKLA	U.S.
	Million Lbs.						1,000 Head			
Jan	89.6	4,082.5	4.1	3,057.0	0.1	87.7	416.1	8,660.7	--	256.5
Feb	69.6	3,502.1	3.3	2,615.6	0.1	73.2	324.1	7,501.2	0.1	259.4
Mar	78.5	3,677.7	3.5	2,737.7	0.1	77.4	366.0	7,986.5	0.2	324.3
Apr	83.1	3,901.8	3.7	2,948.7	0.1	82.1	387.9	8,425.3	0.1	278.9
May	76.3	4,017.3	3.6	3,146.6	0.1	78.0	357.7	8,323.1	0.1	285.7
Jun	72.5	3,810.8	3.1	3,062.2	0.1	76.1	339.2	7,531.2	0.1	230.6
Jul	79.6	4,016.5	2.8	3,187.7	0.1	95.8	373.6	8,068.3	0.1	259.0
Aug	82.3	4,139.6	3.2	3,212.8	0.1	96.1	389.2	8,545.8	0.1	265.1
Sep	76.9	3,873.2	3.0	2,866.7	0.1	88.9	365.1	8,505.5	0.1	276.3
Oct	90.9	4,382.1	3.8	3,266.6	0.1	100.9	422.6	9,403.6	0.1	300.6
Nov	86.9	3,970.1	3.0	2,861.1	0.1	90.8	405.2	8,654.2	0.1	271.1
Dec	86.7	3,858.2	3.4	2,771.8	0.1	98.2	399.5	8,657.4	0.1	278.7
Total 2/	973.0	47,168.9	40.6	35,734.6	1.3	1,045.4	4,546.3	100,262.6	1.3	3,286.3

1/ Includes slaughter in federally inspected and in other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms. 2/ Months may not add to totals due to rounding.